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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Joseph Gardner Swift letters
Date:	1821-1862
Identifier:	AAA.swifj
Creator:	Swift, J. G. (Joseph Gardner), 1783-1865
Extent:	154 Items ((on partial microfilm reel))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Microfilmed 1956 by the Archives of American Art with other art-related papers in the Manuscript Division of the New York Public Library. Included in the microfilming project were selected papers of the Art Division and the Prints Division.

Location of Originals

Originals in the New York Public Library, Manuscript Division.

Other Finding Aids

List of correspondents available at Archives of American Art offices, filed New York Public Library, Manuscript Division.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel N26 (frames 646-1222) available for use at Archives of American Art offices and through interlibrary loan.

Restrictions

The Archives of American art does not own the original papers. Use is limited to the microfilm copy.

Biographical / Historical

Army General, Civil Engineer; New York City.

Scope and Contents

Correspondence, including c. 60 letters to his brother-in-law, George W. Whistler, father of the painter James McNeill Whistler.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Occupations:

Civil engineers -- New York (State) -- New York

Generals -- New York (State) -- New York